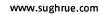
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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Re:

Application of Georges NAUD, Christophe LAGIER, Bruno PATUREL

TOOL FOR A FOOD PROCESSING MACHINE, IN PARTICULAR OF THE MIXER TYPE, AND A MACHINE PROVIDED WITH A TOOL OF THIS

TYPE.

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Our Ref. Q80598

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including twenty (20) pages of the specification including twelve (12) claims, an Abstract of the Disclosure, three (3) sheets of formal drawing containing Figs. 1-6, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, Form PTO-1595 and executed Assignment document, certified priority document and Information Disclosure Statement w/France Search Report, English translation of French Search Report, Form PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) and copies of cited references.

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